

ADJUTANT AND INSPECTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
*Richmond, May 7, 1863.*

GENERAL ORDERS, }  
No. 56. }

I. At a General Court Martial, convened at Camp of Pender's Brigade, by virtue of General Orders, No. 23, February 19th, 1863, from the Head Quarters Department of Northern Virginia, was arraigned and tried:

Second Lieutenant J. K. MARTIN, 22d N. C. Volunteers, on the following Charges—(The Specifications are omitted in this order:)

Charge 1st,	-	-	-	Violation of the 45th Article of War.
Charge 2d,	-	-	-	Violation of the 83d Article of War.

II. *Finding and Sentence of the Court.*

The Court having maturely considered the evidence adduced, find the accused, Second Lieut. J. K. Martin, 22d N. C. Volunteers, as follows:

Of the Specification of 1st Charge,	-	-	-	Not Guilty.
Of the 1st Charge,	-	-	-	Not Guilty.
Of the Specification of 2d Charge,	-	-	-	Guilty.
Of the 2d Charge,	-	-	-	Guilty.

And sentence him to be dismissed the service.

III. The proceedings, findings and sentence in the foregoing case having been laid before the Secretary of War, for the decision of the President, are approved; but upon the recommendation of the Court, the sentence is remitted. Lieutenant Martin will therefore be relieved from arrest, and restored to duty.

By order.

S. COOPER,  
*Adjutant and Inspector General.*